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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

RUN AGROUND.

The "Monitor" and the "Blackbird" Two Hudson River Steamers on the Rocks--One a Total Loss--No Lives Lost.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Nov. 14.—The side-wheel steamer "Monitor," plying between Peekskill and New York, left the former place about 9 o'clock last night with 400 cans of milk and assorted freights. It was a bright moonlight night with but a little wind. At 12:30 this morning she ran on the rocks off Glenwood, north of Yonkers, and sank to her main deck. The Peekskill tug "Sarah E. Brown" managed to get alongside of her and took off the milk and other freights and conveyed it to New York. W. Hyatt of the tug says the officers and crew of the "Monitor" including the pilot David Goiches, were all asleep when the accident occurred. The "Monitor's" bow now lies within twenty feet of the Hudson River Railroad track and her stern is sunk to the main deck. The force of the collision snapped all the iron rods which upheld her spars and her bottom was torn away by the rocks. The tug lay by her at dark to-night, but it is believed she cannot be got off and that the northwest wind will tear her to pieces. She is owned by Captain Craft of Peekskill who bought her for \$20,000, but before the accident she was not valued at more than \$12,000. She was partially insured. No lives were lost nor was anyone hurt.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Nov. 14.—While the steamer "Blackbird" of Starin's harbor fleet was coming to this city from Newburgh Saturday night, with about 150 excursionists, she ran on a rock, ten miles above Fort Montgomery, and sprung a leak. The Captain backed her and the men went ashore, made a fire, and bivouacked there for the night. In the morning between three and four they were taken on the "Drew" in small boats and brought to this city. The "Blackbird's" leaks were patched up, the tide raised her, and before noon to-day she had reached Pier 18, North River. In a day or two she will be all right again. Nobody was seriously hurt, though several men were injured. There were no ladies on board, the excursionists being a political association from Brooklyn.

Politics vs. Humanity.

QUEBEC, Nov. 14.—Small-pox is committing dreadful ravages among the Canadian Indians who people the scanty and widely separated settlements on the north shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Information just received by the Government reports that they are dying in hundreds. A panic has seized the survivors, and they flee from the dead and dying, leaving the former unburied and the latter uncared for, to seek refuge in the woods, where their trails are marked by lines of corpses.

Instructions were immediately given by the local government to a physician of the adjoining county to proceed with medicine to the relief of the sufferers. The Provincial authorities having, however, learned that the doctor in question was a political opponent, have rescinded the order they had issued in the interest of humanity and left the panic-stricken district to itself until a medical man of their own political stripe can reach it.

Fatal Railroad Collision.

CHEYENNE, WY., Nov. 14.—A fatal accident occurred yesterday at Carbon Station on the Union Pacific Road caused by the parting of a train containing Mormon emigrants. The brakeman had not time to flag the freight train following and a collision resulted. One passenger and the brakeman were killed. Several passengers were badly wounded.

Hanlan Wins.

(Special to the News.)

A special to the NEWS brings word that Hanlan, the American champion oarsman, has beaten Trickett in the great race on the Thames by four lengths. Hanlan rowed his final practice pull Saturday privately; Trickett also rowed over the course with Laycock. Trickett was the favorite in the betting, 6 to 5 being freely offered on him. Friday the betting was about even in some cases, the odds being in favor of Hanlan.

Wrestling Match.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 14.—The wrestling match between W. J. Farrell of California and John McMahon of Vermont for the championship belt of America and \$1,000, here to-night, resulted in a victory for McMahon, who threw Farrell twice out of three times. A large crowd was present. An hour and a half was consumed in the contest.

Epizootic Poisoning.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Nov. 14.—A lad named Fred Palmer, son of the manager of the Western Union office, has lost an eye from epizootic poisoning. His other eye is endangered. He wiped his face with a handkerchief he had used to clean the spittle that his horse had coughed on his sleeve.

Funeral of Mrs. Mott

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 14.—The funeral of Lucretia Mott took place this afternoon from her late residence at Chelton Hills. The body was interred at Fair Hill Grounds according to the rites of the Friends. There were fully two thousand people in the cemetery.

Land League Meeting.

LOWELL, Mass., Nov. 14.—The Lowell Land League met this afternoon. Thirty five new members joined. A branch league is to be formed in Lawrence. It was voted to send \$110 to-morrow to Parnell.

Crimes and Casualties.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—Edward Haggerty, a wealthy glass manufacturer died from a pistol shot wound received while examining a pistol three weeks ago.

LONG BRANCH, Nov. 14.—While Charles H. Golden was driving on Ocean avenue this afternoon with a companion both fell out of the buggy. Golden was instantly killed. Both were intoxicated.

RED BANK, N. J., Nov. 14.—Henry Vinturn, aged 39, was instantly killed at Port Johnson foundry last night by being caught in the machinery.

Sunday School Concert.

The scholars of the Presbyterian Sunday School gave their usual monthly concert at the church last evening, which was attended by a number of our citizens. The different pieces were rendered in an able manner, and the scholars deserve considerable credit for the progress which they have made since their last concert.

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ON TRIAL FOR SORcery!

A Young Woman Charged With Giving Love Powder to Her Beau.

A most curious and amusing case, says the Newburg Register, was brought before Recorder Waring this morning for settlement. A man named Riley, who lives in the Western part of the city, appeared before the Recorder with his wife and daughter, and complained that a young woman named Quinn was administering a love potion to a son of Mr. Riley for the purpose of gaining his affection and inducing him to marry her. The son is about 21 years of age and keeps company with the Quinn girl evidently against the wishes of his family. It was asserted in all earnestness by the Riley family that Miss Quinn went to a Mrs. Lockskin, a fortune teller, and bought the love powder from her, which was given to young Riley, and which produced the desired effect. As proof that the love powder had worked, Mr. Riley said that until last May his boy had never had a sore on his body. Since then he has suffered from innumerable boils. The woman denied having ever given Riley's son any love powder, and said that the charge was made against her only because Riley went with her against the wishes of his parents. The Recorder put the examination down for Friday morning.

Time It Was Done.

The Niagara river at Tonawanda has for some time past been washing away its banks and encroaching on the ground used as a cemetery, even washing out some of the graves. The News of that place informs us that an appropriation has been made to build a dyke to hold the water in check, and the contract has been awarded to E. A. Beus, who will begin work as soon as the water is frozen. We should think it was time.

Another Unfortunate.

A young man named Henry Pierce, who resides in Rochester and is employed as a brakeman on the N. Y. C. & H. R. R., while coupling cars at East Rochester Saturday, had his hand badly crushed between the bumpers of the cars. We understand that this same man had his foot and ankle crushed last August.

The Bergen Band.

The citizens of Bergen have been very busy lately raising money by subscription for the purpose of buying a new set of brass instruments for the Bergen band. Their endeavors thus far have met with great success. This band shows careful training on the part of the leader, and a general interest in its welfare by the members and it will compare favorably with any country band.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

This great moral drama, with the famous Lottie as *Topsy*, together with a band of Jubilee Singers, are to give two of their imitable entertainments in Hodge Opera House on Friday and Saturday evenings next, also a matinee on Saturday afternoon. This is said to be the most complete company traveling, carrying their own scenery, an a full orchestra and brass band.—Lockport Union

Sale of Pictures, Sketches, Etc.

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Nov. 15th, 16th and 17th, Geo. B. Edwards will offer for sale at his rooms in the Turner block, a collection of pictures and sketches, representing his work in landscape during the past summer. Many of these pictures possess a local interest, and the entire collection, consisting of oil, pastel and water colors, will be sold at extremely low rates.

The Supervisors.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

The resolution of Mr. Reed being called, Mr. Gillett offered an amendment that resolutions shall apply only to the Surrogate and that it shall call for a report for one year.

The vote being had on the amendment it was declared carried.

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The members of the Board retired to work on committees, after which, on motion of Mr. Walker, the Board adjourned to Nov. 15th, 1880.

SEVENTH DAY.

The Board met to-day pursuant to adjournment, all the members being present.

The minutes of Nov. 13th were read and approved.

The Chairman appointed Messrs. Parmele, Gillett and Hawkins a committee under the resolution of Mr. Parmele adopted Nov. 13th.

Moved by Mr. Gillett that the matter of making an appropriation for a Surrogate's Clerk be made a special order for 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Miller moved an amendment that a committee of three be appointed to ascertain the law in regard to a Surrogate's Clerk, and said committee report at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

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The committee on erroneous taxes presented their report, which was, on motion of Mr. Walker, read and received.

On motion of Mr. Green,

Resolved, That the fixing of the salary of School Commissioner be made a special order of business for Nov. 17th at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

On motion of Mr. Staples,

Resolved, That the amount of the town audits of several towns be raised by tax upon the several towns against which they are audited and that the usual orders be drawn by the Clerk for the same.

Mr. Throop presented the following report in regard to the schools in the county which was on motion of Mr. Parmele, received and ordered to be placed on file and published with the proceedings.

The members of the Board retired to work on committees, after which, on motion of Mr. Parmele, the Board adjourned to the usual time in the afternoon.

Eighty Miles an Hour.

Col. E. A. L. Roberts of Titusville, Pa., has made a contract with the Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia, for the construction of a passenger engine. He claims that said engine will be able to run eighty miles an hour and keep it up for a hundred miles. Col. Roberts stated to a Buffalo Courier reporter that he was on his way to Philadelphia to give the work of construction his personal attention, and the plans and specifications are exceptional.

The locomotive is to weigh thirty-eight tons, and will comply with the standard gauge. The drive-wheels will be six feet in diameter and the forward trucks and those on the tender will be made of paper, which will endure more strain and wear than steel or iron. The wheels will be of the pattern known as broad tread, which will enable the locomotive to run on roads of either 4 feet 8 1/2 inches or 4 feet 10 inches gauge. The most important feature of the engine will be the introduction of Robert's patent cylinder and piston, which has proved itself capable of saving at least twenty per cent. in steam pressure.

Decorated Chamber Sets at reduced prices, to close out. Call and see at Kenyons'.

STATE NEWS.

A Collection of Interesting Notes From all Quarters.

An unknown man was found drowned in the canal at Rochester Saturday.

The report that a man was murdered on the steamer Escort near Tivoli is discredited by the officers of the boat.

The jury in the case of David R. Halsey of Ithaca were divided in opinion. The foreman and others thought the death accidental.

The schooner Snowbird of Toronto, with lumber, went ashore Saturday morning, below the East Pier at Oswego. The crew were saved.

Edward Tenner of Rochester stabbed George Coxon in Front street, Rochester Saturday. The wound is a serious one. No arrests were made.

The citizens of Rochester held a meeting Thursday night, protesting against the new depot being placed at the point indicated by the railroad company.

The schooner Cortez, with 19,000 bushels of wheat from Milwaukee to Oswego, went ashore Saturday afternoon near Sandy Creek. The crew were saved.

The prisoners in the Fulton jail, Walter Wilbur and Mike Sampson, arrested for assaults on ladies in the street, escaped by the aid of friends outside, Thursday night.

A lamp exploded in the house of C. H. Graham of Schenectady, Otsego county Wednesday night, and Mrs. Graham was fatally burned. "She blew into the top of the lamp."

During a row in a hotel at Knapp's Creek station, N. Y., Thursday evening, a rough named Thomas Scott fatally shot John Dougherty, an oil-tank builder. Scott was arrested.

Saturday afternoon John Doyle, aged 14, living at 33 Allen street, Lockport, was shot just above the left eye with a ball from a revolver in the hands of Willie McGregor, aged 14. Next.

The safe in L. J. Bundy's office near the village of Ontario, on the Lake Ontario Shore railroad was blown open Wednesday night and \$50 stolen. The burglars also stole a horse and wagon and escaped.

Superintendent Eaton hopes to have the Senate chamber in the new capitol ready for occupancy next winter, but it will not be completed. Eighty workmen were discharged Saturday and more to go to-day.

A daughter of Richard Repson of Rochester died in that city Saturday under singular circumstances. She had been bitten by a vicious dog, and from hearing her mother say continually that the dog ought to be killed she became depressed and finally died.

The jury in the case of James McVey were unable to connect the men arrested on suspicion with his death, and they were discharged. The jury gave it as their opinion that McVey came to his death by falling from the cars while under the influence of liquor.

With the exception of a portrait of Governor Cornell, the collection of pictures of the Governors of this State, which has been got together by the authorities of the city of Albany, is now complete. The portrait of Governor Robinson arrived last Saturday, and is exhibited at the Mayor's office in Albany. The price paid was \$1,000.

About 2:30 o'clock Saturday morning a man named George Aston, who is employed as a brakeman by the Central & Hudson River railroad at West Albany, was thrown off a freight car, falling under another car. The train was moving, and he was thrown under the wheels. Before his fellow-workmen released him he was dead. Aston leaves a wife and family.